

500 REGISTER IN RUSH TO-DAY

Five hundred voters were registered to-day with Registrar Mabon at the Court House.

This is taken as the beginning of the final week's rush, as registration

will come to an end next Monday night.

To-day's registration also doubles the number who have been put on the lists since registration opened a few weeks ago, as up until this morning there were only a few more than 500 altogether.

Only one-quarter of the 4,000 in this city who were struck off the lists for not voting at the last election have qualified again.

All political organizations are working to get non-voters registered.

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SASKATOON SETS BOARDS IN FERMENT

"Spilling the Beans" on Winipeg Stirs Up Whole Freight Rates Issue

The uproar that has spread through Western Canada since yesterday when the Saskatoon Board of Trade "spilled the beans" on the Winnipeg Board of Trade and tipped Premier Oliver off to the fight that was being organized on the Prairies and the campaign fund collected against him and this Province's efforts to obtain equalization of freight, resulted in stirring things up again in Calgary to-day, according to a message sent to Mr. Oliver.

One of the pieces most prominently before the Government is the completion of the Saanich highway from the end of paving at Breeds Cross Roads to Sidney, about two miles. There is heavy stage traffic, and the paving is being specially urged by the two main freight motor car services, which will land at Sidney.

A Calgary newspaper followed the Edmonton Bulletin to-day, started to talk up British Columbia's position with the idea of examining it more closely. It asked Premier Oliver to state his exact position on the freight rates issue.

STANDARD OIL
MESSENGERS IN
NEW YORK ROBBED

New York, April 4.—Four armed bandits burst into two messengers of the Standard Oil Company in Brooklyn street to-day and escaped with \$1,300 in cash and cheques amounting to \$10,000.

GETTING READY
FOR MAY FROLIC

BETTER TIMES BROADENING OUT ROAD POLICY HERE

Proposal Before Premier and Ministers To-day

In connection with the "Victoria May Time Frolic" the committee has decided that, instead of having only one May Queen there will be at least four, with a prospect that the number may be further increased. The idea is to make the contest as competitive as possible. The frolic in charge consists of Mr. D. McLean, Frahn-Sehl and H. S. Stevenson. The arrangements made by them thus far are as follows:

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Queen of Commerce.—Which shall include girls appointed by the following clubs: Swimming, golf, cricket, lawn tennis, etc. The same rules as above shall apply.

Queen of Tourism.—Which shall include a girl appointed by any travel merchant, such as Spencer's, Hudson's Bay, Gordons Limited, or any other merchant, and such girls shall compete with each other, and the girl winning the highest number of votes shall be appointed queen. Some rules shall be governed as above.

Queen of Flowers.—Which shall include nurses appointed by different hospitals in the city (public and private), also the Red Cross Society and Victorian Order of Nurses. Some rules shall apply as above.

The committee has other contestants under consideration, the details of which have not been worked out yet. The rules governing the contest will be as follows:

All names for the queen contest shall be left at the committee room before Saturday, April 21. The contest starting April 23 and shall conclude on May 12 at 1 o'clock p.m.

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SEVERAL QUEENS FOR THE FROLIC

Victoria's Carnival to Have Sovereigns Representing Various Organizations

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BARRELED BEER
FINDS NO OWNER

Sixty dollars worth of beer, contained in pint bottles filling three barrels were taken into custody by the court to-day, being found deserted in a vacant store on John Street.

To the Court to-day Sergeant Boulton stated that as he was passing on John Street on Saturday night he saw a man in uniform who was carrying a keg of beer. He found the man to be a member of the B.C. Amateur Union and the officials of the various sports organizations in the city. Through the courtesy of Gen. Ross, a committee representing the military has been named to co-operate, consisting of Gen. R. P. Clark, Major Cobham, and Capt. J. B. Cheshire, of the 5th Regiment.

H. M. Diggon will act as chairman of the Streets and Outdoor Decoration Committee. Magistrate George Jay, Chairman of the School Board, will assist the executive in securing the participation of the school children.

The Vancouver Island Racing and Breeding Association will stage a gymkhana, the proceeds of which will be turned into the general fund for the purposes of the frolic.

Managing Director Fred March will call all the signs point to success in every way. Headquarters have been opened in Room 28, Arcade Building, telephone 534. This telephone number has been selected as symbolic, since the festivities open on the twenty-fourth and May is the fifth month of the year. All citizens who are interested are urged to call up this number, either for information or to suggest any way in which they can make themselves useful in helping the celebration.

The Assault Case.

Charged with assaulting Miss Therese Dorrell on Ebert Street on the night of March 24 William Sneddon was remanded until Friday for hearing. R. C. Lowe appears for the accused, who reserved his election.

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The question of the pooling of delegates' expenses arose out of the finance committee's report and involved much discussion. Several members from the Kootenay and Kamloops Presbyterians referred to the fact that delegates intended in attendance at the provincial gatherings. Mrs. E. W. Mackay of Cranbrook, observing that the Coast members should lend their support to the women of the outlying settlements in their missionary work by helping them to meet their financial obligations. Such a system, she claimed, would encourage the auxiliary auxiliaries to send a bigger representation to the provincial gatherings.

A communication from Moose Jaw related the success of the system of equalization of rates which has been in vogue in Saskatchewan for the past three years. Mrs. W. G. Wilson of Victoria, former Auxiliary president in the prairie province, also attended to the success. The committee terminated in the appointment of a special committee to further consider the matter and bring in a resolution. The committee includes Miss Rogers and Mrs. A. H. Gordon, of the finance committee, together with Mrs. E. W. Mackay of Cranbrook, Mrs. R. H. Oakley of Kamloops and Mrs. W. G. Wilson of Victoria.

At to-morrow morning's session addresses will be given by Mrs. H. R. Horne and Mrs. Hugh Mackenzie of the Dominion executive board, Toronto. Last night's meeting was chiefly occupied with routine business—the report of the executive board and the appointment of various committees.

Mrs. J. White, president of the provincial organization, presided. Mrs. W. J. White of Vancouver, secretary, read the minutes, and Mrs. Gordon read the correspondence. Mrs. J. W. Graham led the devotional exercises.

ROBERT H. ENNIS
DIED IN DAWSON;
A MOOSE HUNTER

Dawson, Y. T., April 4.—Robert H. Ennis, chief scout for General Middleton in the Riel Rebellion, died here to-day following a long illness. He leaves a widow in Vancouver and a son, David, in Cranbrook. B. C. Deceased was one of the most noted moose hunters in this region, and was well known in Manitoba, where he resided twenty-five years ago.

WINNIPERGERS HERE

Wesley McCurdy, business manager of The Winnipeg Free Press, and George H. Saults, head of a construction firm, were in the same city, returned to Victoria to-day after spending a two-week holiday in Alberta and vicinity. They expect to start for home to-night.

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Fisheries, Coal, Mining and Settlers' Rights Problems Discussed There

Settlers' rights, protection of the British Columbia coal industry from "unfair" foreign competition, representation of the provincial mining industry at the British Empire exhibition of next year, in terms that will properly index the importance of British Columbia's mineral resources, and the administration of provincial fisheries were some of the matters taken up at Ottawa by Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines.

Mr. Sloan met personally most of the members of the Cabinet of Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and on the questions of provincial concern which he discussed with them he said the results achieved were gratifying and satisfactory.

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NEW MINE WAGES IN SLOCAN DISTRICT

Nelson, B. C., April 4.—A new wage scale, based on that incorporated in the agreement of May, 1920, with the addition of a fifty-cent bonus for all classes is now in effect at the leading mines of the Slocan district. In the schedule the wage

FORT WORTH ELECTION

Forth Worth, Texas, April 4.—Mayor E. R. Cockrell and the entire Democratic administration running under Democratic designations were retained in office in yesterday's election.

"Is a cord of wood much, pa?" "Well, my son, it depends on whether you are burning it or chopping it."—Boston Transcript.

CANADA EXPORTS MORE TO THE U. S., REPORT SHOWS

Washington, April 4.—During 1922 Canada sold more goods to the United States than any other country, according to figures issued by the Department of Commerce. These show that the total value of imports from Canada during the year was \$364,925,424. Imports from Great Britain totalled \$356,927,197.

The imports from the Dominion of Canada increased over those of 1921, during which year the United States took Canadian goods valued at \$355,441,604. Great Britain's exports to the United States during 1921 totalled \$285,796,623.

PLEA KEEPS WOMEN IN THE EMPLOY OF ITALIAN RAILWAYS

Rome, April 4.—Princess Yolanda's plea for the retention of needed women railway employees whose dismissal had been ordered by Deputy Terre, the "Railroad" Commissioner, has resulted in the revocation of the order in the case of ten per cent of the workers.

In a letter to the Deputy, the Princess said it would hurt her to think that on the day of her wedding other women less favored by fate should be without the means of livelihood.

DR. F. A. COOK AMONG TEXAS MEN FACING CHARGES

Fort Worth, Tex., April 4.—With the voluntary surrender of Dr. Frederick A. Cook, Arctic explorer and oil promoter, before federal authorities yesterday afternoon, Fort Worth's men arrested and arraigned before United States Commissioner George Parker on charges of fraudulent use of the mails reached a total of twenty.

Dr. Cook was released on a \$25,000 bond. He is sole trustee and president of the Petroleum Producers' Association.

GREAT INCREASE IN GRAIN EXPORTS FROM THIS COAST

Winnipeg, April 4.—Owing to adverse weather conditions throughout Manitoba and certain sections of Saskatchewan there was a considerable decrease in the amount of loading of grain for the last week in March on the Canadian Pacific Railway. The weather was extremely cold, with very high winds and intermittent snow storms, resulting in considerable drifting, which not only interfered with the free movement of traffic on the railroad, but also delayed the movement of grain. During March there was handled 1,662,458 bushels, an average of 215,304 bushels per day. During the same period the railroad loaded 1,553 cars, an average of 222 cars per day. Last year in the same period the marketing amounted to 2,427,469 bushels, or an average of 269,318 bushels per day, while there were 2,244 cars loaded, an average of 245 per day.

The railway reports having in store in interior elevators on March 31 13,655,493 bushels of grain, which did not include grain in the Government elevators at Moose Jaw, Calgary and Saskato—there being approximately 15,174 bushels at Moose Jaw, 526,497 at Saskatoon and 1,281,100 at Calgary.

From September 1 to March 31 inclusive the Canadian Pacific Railway transported to Vancouver 7,884 cars of grain, 11,668,520 bushels. Last year during the same period the movement amounted to 2,362 cars, or 1,987,632 bushels.

According to the latest reports, there was an excess of grain shipped from the beginning of the current season to the end of March, a total of 13,571,320 bushels, of which 11,128,620 bushels went to the United Kingdom, 2,212,300 to the Orient and 200,400 to South America. Last year during the same period the total exports amounted to 8,500,000 bushels.

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Fate—Fox Trot
Lady of the Evening—Fox Trot

Paul Whiteman
and His Orchestra

"His Master's Voice" Victor Record No. 19016.

To-Morrow
When the Leaves Come Tumbling Down

Harold Harvey
Harold Harvey

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ALBERTA TEACHERS HOLD CONVENTION

Annual Gathering of Educational Association in Edmonton

Edmonton, April 4.—The annual convention of the Alberta Educational Association is in progress here. At the formal opening yesterday there were official addresses of welcome.

The Association divided into public and high school sections for the consideration of the new school curriculum. To-night the teachers will go into still smaller groups, and consider it grade by grade.

At noon today the teachers will meet at luncheon at the Macdonald Hotel, when they will be addressed by Dr. T. N. Carver, head of the Economic Department of Harvard University.

Dr. Carver will address a number of other meetings of the teachers during the convention.

EXTRADITION OF JOHN H. ROBERTS TO U. S. IS ASKED

Quebec, April 4.—Little progress was made here yesterday in the case of John H. Roberts, editor of "The Axe," a weekly publication, who is wanted in the United States on a charge of embezzlement. Roberts' son Leslie could not identify photographs alleged to be those of his father's signatures on cheques. The case was adjourned until April 10.

Roberts is at present serving a year's imprisonment for violating the dignity of the Quebec Legislature.

OFFICIALS OF PENSION BOARD URGED TO RESIGN

Winnipeg, April 4.—The Federal Government will be asked, in view of the interim report of the Royal Commission on Pensions, to call upon Lieut.-Colonel T. C. Thompson and J. W. Paton, chairman and secretary, respectively, of the Pensions Board, for their resignations forthwith, according to a resolution unanimously adopted by the Winnipeg G. W. V. A. last night.

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COMMUNITY BUILDING.

This continent has not a few large, flourishing cities which, although they had no conspicuous advantages or attractions in the first instance, have grown from small, unpromising beginnings in a relatively few years. The phenomenon is easily explained. In every case they have been blessed with energetic and ambitious citizens who worked together for the upbuilding of their towns, who put their hearts and souls into the job and who were ready to sacrifice convenience, pleasure and funds in the process whenever it was necessary. Community building is much less a picnic or a pleasurable relaxation than a matter of duty, labor and sacrifice. Only in rare instances does progress come without them, as a tribute from fate. Most communities have to work out their own salvation. How far they succeed depends upon the kind of people they have. If the people of a place lack unity, if they are burdened with divisions based upon social caste, petty prejudices, intolerance and envy; if the great majority of them are not prepared to put their community first, instead of regarding it only as a place of convenient sojourn, with their vital interests elsewhere, that place never will develop as it ought to develop no matter how abundantly may be the advantages with which Nature has favored it.

Victoria presents numerous opportunities for the effective application of community spirit and enterprise. For example, her citizens can make a great contribution to her progress and prosperity by encouraging the development of the surrounding district. If, as authorities have pointed out, Saanich peninsula is capable of an annual production of marketable goods to the value of \$20,000,000, we have in that locality an asset of incalculable importance. We therefore should patronize home grown products, even if we have to pay a trifle more for them, remembering that the money comes back to us. The sacrifice would be small enough in all conscience in proportion to the benefits that would arise—a negligible sacrifice, in fact, contrasted with what the people of scores of other communities are making every day for the cause of progressive development. To our mind this alone furnishes an excellent test of the depth of the desire of our people to see their community flourish.

HEARST BREAKS OUT AGAIN.

Lord Robert Cecil's visit has furnished William Randolph Hearst with a new text for an anti-British outburst. There is, of course, nothing new in the case he advances. It is only amusing and interesting because it furnishes such a striking contrast to the sentiments which newspapers that actually represent a great body of public opinion so forcibly express.

This is a gem from a double column editorial published in The Seattle Post-Intelligencer:

"Lord Robert came to the United States as a private gentleman and friendly observer; he would deserve all the courtesy that we are accustomed to give to distinguished and delightful visitors. But he does not come as a private gentleman or friendly observer. Lord Robert comes to the United States as an emissary of the League of Nations and an unofficial representative of the ruling class in Great Britain. He comes to carry on a campaign among the American people in favor of the league, to induce American voters to accept the covenant which they have heretofore rejected, to win the American people, in their domestic policies, to a policy that has been the main political issue in the national elections of the last five years and will be the overwhelming issue in the presidential election of 1924."

Contrast this with the following extract from The New York World of the same day:

"No man can discuss the League of Nations more authoritatively. The League that he is talking about is the League that exists, the League that is slowly finding itself and exerting its gradually acquired influence to help stabilize the rumbling peace of the world. The message that he brings is a message that the American people can sign on for events day by day shrinking it into their hearts. The League survived through a most critical period without the support of the United States because it was a vital need in the affairs of nations. People should face the facts and not allow the foreign policy of the United States to be made forever the football of partisanship and passion."

Or with The New York Times, which terms Lord Robert a practical idealist on a mission for a free exchange of ideas, and goes on to say:

"Under this guise of a modest enquirer, however, people are finding out that Lord Robert carries a formidable debating power."

One of these days the American people will take William Randolph Hearst at his word and ask him by what right he attempts to do their thinking for them. So far they have been content to let him rave through the medium of his newspapers. They have considered him quite harmless and have taken such precautions as have appeared wise from time to time to keep him out of harm's way. When he has aspired to important public office his own kind of Americanism has been allowed to throttle him. The Syracuse Convention last year effectively disposed of his bid for power in New York State—the great ambition of his life.

The American people are not blind to facts. They are beginning to realize that there is no guarantee that future conflicts, if such should come to pass, would not embroil them as was the case just as soon as Germany attacked American lives on the high seas during the last war. When they realize that the League of Nations can be equipped with sufficient influence to replace force by reason they will take another view of Ameri-

can entry to membership. Lord Robert has come to this continent to tell the people what the organization has done and hopes to do and can do—with their help.

MR. ASQUITH REFUSES.

It never could be said of former Premier Asquith that he possessed the power to adapt himself to new circumstances in a hurry. His somewhat hesitating movements and lack of decision during the early days of the war were in striking contrast with the gait which Mr. Lloyd George struck and continued from the time he went to the Ministry of Munitions until he finally succumbed last October. It is not surprising, therefore, that the invitation which the Liberals of Leeds extended to both former Prime Ministers to meet at the same luncheon table should be promptly accepted by the little Welshman and declined by Mr. Asquith.

Both Mr. Asquith and his versatile spouse have made public allusion to the desirability of uniting the forces of Liberalism in Great Britain. Margot's husband has been extremely cautious in his utterances lest such overtures as he has made should convey the impression that he was ready to bury the hatchet and get into double harness with Mr. Lloyd George. But his refusal to go to Leeds and take lunch with his former colleague and successor looks like a mistake in tactics. Mrs. Asquith makes it worse by telling the people of Spain that Mr. Lloyd George is "unprincipled" and "menace to the Party." There are many who agree with Mr. Asquith, but at this juncture it is not politic to proclaim their belief.

GOOD BUSINESS.

Our City Council has made no mistake in deciding to save daylight in this city during the summer months. It was not necessary to wait for a lead from Vancouver. We would have preferred the plan to have commenced this month; but those people who depend upon the extra hour of daylight for recreational pursuits, that would otherwise only be possible during the week end, will welcome the decision.

Alderman Dewar says that "daylight saving will result in everyone going around town with a chip on their shoulder, looking for a fight." We wager that the "chips" that will be more in evidence after the sixth day of May will very closely resemble baseball bats, cricket bats, golf sticks, and other sundry implements of "battle."

NOTE AND COMMENT

Mexico has led the world in naval disarmament. Its only "warship" has lost its tail shaft and propeller.

Premier Oliver will be a walking encyclopaedia on freight rates by the time he is through with British Columbia's case.

Eligible voters should get on the list at once. The provincial roll closes next Monday. After that date those who have not registered will only have themselves to thank.

Dr. Cook, of Arctic exploration fame, has now been charged with using the mails to defraud the people of the United States in connection with his oil ventures. He seems to be "up the pole" most of the time.

It will soon be time for Mr. Bonar Law to face a crisis. If he is not quite sure how to develop the crisis-resisting habit he should get Mr. Lloyd George to give him a few lessons. He weathered more than a baker's dozen.

Germany has now admitted that the Sussex was sunk by a German submarine. How well we recall how the German Admiralty vehemently and persistently denied the charge in 1916—declaring that the ill-fated vessel had collided with a mine.

At Sault Ste. Marie yesterday the temperature was thirteen degrees below zero and the city was covered with several inches of snow. We may cheer up its people by inviting them to come and spend the summer on Vancouver Island to make up for present discomfort.

Is it any wonder that the United States desires to finish its relief work in Greece? The sooner the people in that peppery part of the world get it into their heads that it would be more profitable and comfortable for themselves if they were to try to live in peace for a few years, the sooner will they get the respect of the rest of the world.

OUR CONTEMPORARIES

HIS ANTECEDENTS.

Montreal Gazette:—In order to iron out an often-recurring discussion, it can be said quite accurately that De Valera was born in New York City in 1882, his father being a Chilean Spaniard and his mother an Irish woman from the County of Limerick. His nationality is abundantly obvious!

THE CUSTOMARY INCREASE.

London, Ont., Free Press:—Under the late government our highest customs taxation amounted to 15½ per cent. on total imports, under as yet one-year regime of the present government 17½ per cent. has been collected. Two per cent. increase. Almost as much as money brings in the banks.

ADVANTAGES OF PROHIBITION.

Brantford Expositor:—It is the vast improvement in the general social conditions of the people, which the ordinary observer cannot fail to see, that leads to the overwhelming verdict in favor of prohibition. Of course there is bootlegging, with its attendant evils, but these are not to be compared to the general advantages of the prohibitory law.

SPEED UP IMMIGRATION.

Calgary Albertan:—There is every reason or many reasons to believe that there are thousands of the best people in various parts of the world who are looking with interest on Canada, with a view to coming here to live, and that one thing that is needed to get them started is a progressive immigration policy. It cannot come too soon.

Other People's Views

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RADIO EQUIPMENT.

To the Editor:—It was erroneously stated in your paper that the Western Canada Radio Supply Co. were installing the equipment in the Centennial Church on Gore Road. The firm mentioned was not called upon to make any installation. The firm that made the equipment is the Western Canada Radio Supply Co., Victoria, April 3, 1923.

PREFERENCE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

To the Editor:—I read with very much interest the article in The Sunday Colonist as to what a population of 100,000 would mean to Victoria, and I took particular note of what Mr. W. Sargent said in his article entitled "Effect on Taxation." He says in part, "Now these were the right of citizens to have, to own, to purchase homes or buy vacant lots and erect new homes." Now I would like to add that Mr. Sargent, who is faultless, is not so much people like in the beautiful city who do not own their own homes and why so many people who do own their homes are leaving the city? My opinion is that not much, but I wish to say that if employers of labor or otherwise would give preference to all possible to bona fide owners of property, then there are not property owners but who are holding down good jobs would either be forced to leave the city or would not be able to get out and make room for those that do over and over again. I think that the high taxation problem would be solved. As regards myself, I came to Victoria over two years ago and have invested several thousand dollars and tried my hardest to get a steady position of some kind, but have not been successful in doing so, and there are a thousand other people in the same position. Now, Mr. Editor, do you think it is right that any man who has a good job and wants to leave the city should be given the preference of a steady position who is not donating something towards the upkeep of the city and who has a good grip and draw his money from the bank and that is the last we see of him?

TAXES.

To the Editor:—A notice in The Times of March 27 that James Foreman, member of the City Local Improvement Commission, thinks single tax is dead in Victoria.

The plebiscite taken at the last municipal election gave a majority of over four hundred for the exemption of improvements. Not very strong evidence of deadness I should think. Mr. Foreman also says, "We are making a splendidly equipped modern fire department, police protection, free messenger service and all other incidental services that go with municipal government, and the unfortunate landowner was expected to pay for everything, and the improvement owner, who really benefits, escaped taxation." Now, right there we have Mr. Foreman making a good argument, but he is ignorant of the knowledge of fundamentals. The landowner gets all the benefits of the services mentioned, and the improvement owner none. It is just those services and the presence and activities of the people that determine the value of the land.

The value of buildings and other improvements is determined by the cost of reproduction. When the landowner pays his land tax he is merely reimbursing the community for services rendered and value received.

When the improvement tax is paid something for nothing, he gets absolutely no return—he is being robbed.

The improvement-owner is compelled to pay the land tax to all municipal services. It is one of Niagara's laws.

Why should he have to pay twice—once to the landowner and once to the city? This is all quite elementary, and it is annoying that grown men should not understand such simple matters.

ALEXANDER HAMILTON.

Pender Island, B. C., April 2, 1923.

ALPINE PEAKS.

To the Editor:—The Times of March 29 contains a report of the lecture recently advertised to be delivered by Prof. McLeod, of Toronto, "Alpine Peaks of Medicine."

Speaking of Harvey and the discovery of the blood circulation, we are told that "Harvey did not have to be successful if it had not been for his experiments on living animals." This is ambiguous. Is it intended to convey to the uninformed the impression that this discovery was made through vivisection? Pro-vivisectionists are fond of making this claim, among others.

The failure of his predecessors no doubt paved the way for his induction. (Harvey's biography.) Dr. Willis, says, "He left the doctrine of the circulation as an inference or induction only, not as a sensible demonstration." And Harvey must have profited by the work of his old master, Fabricius, who did discover the valves in the veins of the body. His observations were made on newly dead bodies. Sir George McIlwain, speaking before the Royal Commission of 1876, said that the circulation of the blood could not have been discovered in a living body, though it was said every day that I see medical men say it was from vivisection, from experiments, at least, on living animals." Dr. Bridges, in his Harveian oration, Oct. 18, 1892, says, "It has sometimes been said, especially of late years, that experimentation on living animals was the process through which Harvey's discovery was achieved, but this is not true. It has been used as a potent argument before an uninterested public, has always appealed to me as an exaggerated view." Harvey died without actually having demonstrated the circulation of the blood and it was not until Malpighi had invented the microscope that it was possible (without vivisection) to demonstrate the fact in the web of a frog's foot.

Further, in reference to the lecture,

we find the usual eulogies of Pasteur, Jenner and Lister, with the inevitable praise of Lister's carbolic spray. Prof. McLeod omits to mention, apparently, that this spray was a deadly poison and that as his process of killing germs (supposed to be injecting his patients) was abolished. Prof. McLeod says, "After Lister's time hospitals were nothing less than pest houses, and that Sir James Simpson advocated pulling

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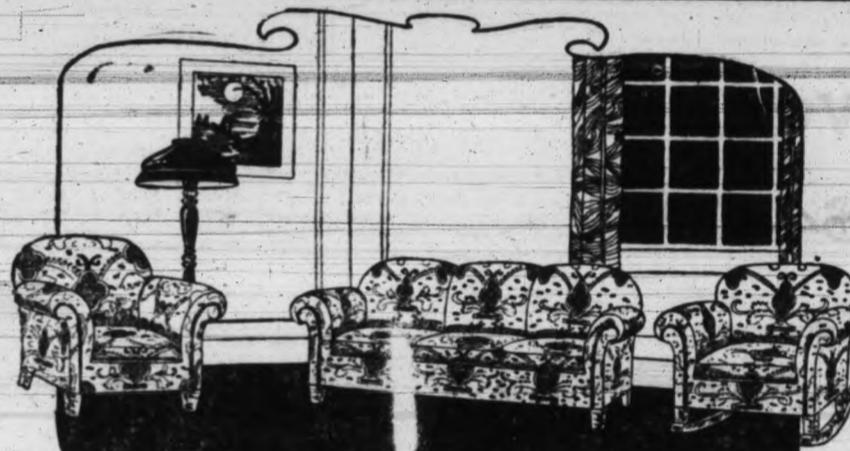
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NEWS IN BRIEF

Rod Tolmie, Deputy Minister of Mines, returned to the city yesterday after a brief vacation in Seattle.

The Cloverdale Parent-Teacher Association will hold its last card game of the season this evening at 8 o'clock.

Alfred Carmichael & Co., who have leased the northwest corner of Broad and Fort Streets for offices, have let a contract to Williams, Teeter & Williams for the necessary alterations.

Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald will preside at the Assizes which open in Victoria on April 10. There are an unusual number of important cases to be heard, and the settings are, therefore, liable to be somewhat prolonged.

The Saanich School Board held a brief meeting last evening to consider financial matters, and to organize a deputation to the Council. Both bodies met in the Saanich Municipal Hall, Royal Oak.

The G. W. V. A. Executive, at its meeting last evening, decided to send representatives to Vancouver in July to attend the reunion week encampment of returned veterans. Comrade Robinson, second vice-president, occupied the chair.

A discussion took place prior to completing a brotherhood organization at a well attended meeting of James Bay residents at the James Bay Methodist Church last night. A musical programme was rendered and final steps were taken toward forming an organization.

The Druggists' Section of the Retail Merchants' Association will hold a dinner and meeting at the Dominion Hotel on Monday at 6:15 o'clock. The weekly executive meeting of the branch was held yesterday, when it was decided to have the new secretary, J. W. Wallis, visit the retailers in each section from time to time.

The first sitting of the Saanich Police Court to be held at the Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, will convene at 10 o'clock at three o'clock this afternoon. Two arrests came, and one of these is listed for hearing today, arising out of trouble investigated by the police over the weekend.

The city has accepted the offer of the firm of Gillespie, Hart & Todd for \$50,000 in Victory Bonds maturing 1923 at 100.51. These bonds were purchased by the city with money received by the second Johnson Street bridge loan. The bonds are being sold now as the city needs the money to pay for continued work on the new harbor bridge.

Some recent views of British Columbia industries will be among the attractive features of the entertainment to be given at the regular monthly meeting of Ward Three Liberal Association in the headquarters, Government Street, on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock. The entertainment will conclude with a concert and dance, and refreshments will be served.

Charged on remand in the City Police Court yesterday with being in possession of cocaine, Chan Kai Pong, was remanded at the conclusion of further evidence. The hearing was conducted on behalf of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, opened yesterday morning when the accused denied the offence. The hearing will be resumed on Monday next with Messrs. Brandon and Davy for the defense.

At the regular weekly gathering of the Y. M. C. A. (Triangle) Club every member was called upon to give a short address. The affair proved a novel event, and was most enjoyable. One, Joe Brinton rendered a violin solo accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Semple. Mr. McPherson, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Hongkong, was announced as next week's speaker. Mr. McPherson is expected from the Orient next Monday.

Urge by Trustees McWilliam, H. and Cheetham, of the Saanich School Board, to the City Council last night promised to investigate the cost of widening Admirals Road, in front of the Craigflower School. Describing conditions as perilous for children, the trustees stated that as soon as the highway is made safe, they would undertake school ground improvement. The Provincial Government will be asked to share the cost, on the usual 75-25 basis prevailing for primary highways.

A very enjoyable afternoon and evening was spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell, "Beechview," Deep Bay, where a number of their friends met to play cards. The guests were Miss D. Murray, Miss M. Baxter, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Herchmer, Deep Bay; Mrs. J. Riddle and daughter Phoebe, Mrs. S. S. and son George, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. and son George, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Woodbridge, Messrs. Ross, A. B. Woodbridge, E. Penty, Victoria. The prizes were awarded to: ladies—Mrs. Herchmer; gentlemen—Ray Woodbridge. Consolation prizes: Ladies, Miss Baxter; gentlemen, Gordon, Woodbridge.

A. H. Maynard delivered an interesting address on Old Victoria and a visit in pioneer days to the Caribbean.

OBITUARY RECORD

Mrs. Agnes McNaughton, widow of the late Duncan McNaughton, of Perth, Scotland, passed away yesterday at the age of eighty years at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. A. Kyle, 523 Harbinger Avenue. She was born in London, England, and is survived by her daughter and three sons, Rev. D. McNaughton, of Auguston, South Australia; Rev. R. McNaughton, of Madras, S. A.; and Mrs. McNaughton of Hartland, S. A. The funeral will be held from the P.C. Funeral Chapel on Hartland Street at 1:45. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The remains of the late Michael Reginald Clarkson, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Clarkson, who passed away at an early hour at the family residence, 1626 Amelie Street, on Monday morning, were laid to rest yesterday afternoon in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

The service was held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1825 Quadra Street, at 2:40 o'clock and at 2:45 o'clock service was held in St. Andrew's Cathedral, when the Rev. Father Wood officiated. The little casket was hidden beneath a profusion of beautiful floral designs.

PRINCESS FIGHTS FOR LIFE.

Bernay, France, April 4.—The condition of Princess Fusako, of Japan, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident here on Sunday, continues critical to-day.

Originally, Absorbine Jr. was sold only as a pain reliever and an embrocaine. It was quickly discovered that the liniment was positive death to all forms of germe life, and it is now used as a mouth wash, for wound dressing and for all disinfecting purposes.

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At the Theatre

CAPITOL

When Irvin V. Willat signed a crew for four weeks' duty on the high seas during the run of "All the Brothers Were Valiant," his Master presented him with a watch at the Capitol Theatre, he did not dream that he was getting a walking, running, climbing, swearing picture gallery as well.

Mr. Willat made certain only that the men were deep-sea sailors with whaling and windjamming experience, and a willingness to dive into the depths of harpooning whales in the old style from small boats. If remained for one of his assistants to discover something.

"Step over and take a look at the crew, Mr. Willat," said this assistant. "They were, were, were, these twenty-seven weather-beaten, sunburned, anything. Mr. Willat's inspection each of the crew stripped to the waist and each covered with tattoos of every conceivable description."

"Help!" cried Mr. Willat. "I'm a director, not an art critic."

At the same, the sight of so many odd-looking men was fascinating, and the director's face was aglow.

He stood in amazement before one burly man who had a map of the Americas tattooed on his back and another of Europe upon his head.

"Beyond the Alps-See Italy," commented Mr. Willat. "Manhattan Island is in the land surrounding by prohibition agents. We're going to see a good map should have dotted and shaded areas to denote rainfall, the corn belt and the whisky belt."

Another sailor had an entire ménage on his chest, monkeys throwing coconuts, dogs riding horses, lions, tigers, and a liberal showing of the other beasts of the jungle.

You'd make a good twelve-reel

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Capitol — "All the Brothers Were Valiant." — "White Justice Waits." — "Royal—Voice From Minaret." — Dominion— "Monte Cristo."

super-production all by yourself," remarked the director.

As for the conventional things—rugs, tables, divans, girls, clasped hands, bleeding hearts pierced by arrows—they were too numerous for attention.

In this photoplay is seen a notable cast, including Eugene O'Brien, Edwin Stevens, Winter Hall, Carl Gerard, Claire Du Brey, Lillian Lawrence and Albert Preiss.

COLUMBIA

Dustin Farnum, well known stage and screen star, will be seen for the last time to-night at the Columbia Theatre in the Fox production, "White Justice Waits."

In addition to the superb photography you will find exceptional acting coming in the most dramatic situations. It is one of Dustin Farnum's best pictures and is well worth seeing.

DOMINION

Little does an audience think, while engrossed by the scenic beauties of a picture that is being unrolled before it or the tremendous cost in time, work and money which may have been necessary to reproduce a single set of the picture, and which in all probability remains upon the screen only a very short period of time, say possibly one or two minutes. Extensive and palatial sets, which are constructed for a period of several months, is sometimes necessary; as was the case in the filming of that wonder picture "Monte Cristo," which was directed by Alexandre Dumas, and which is now playing at the Dominion Theatre. Dumas wasted very little time with detailed scenes, and the picture is a masterpiece.

Thus when Emmett J. Flynn, the director, desired to depict detailed and accurate descriptions of people and places, he had to look elsewhere to get atmosphere and color. The public libraries were of little help, and it was necessary to consult the "New Orleans" and the "Circle Francaise," whose wonderful collection of rare French etchings and prints made it possible to faithfully reproduce the scenes of the grand opera of the France of the eighteenth century as it really existed, really appeared, and as it really lived at the time Dumas so vividly transferred it to paper.

PLAYHOUSE

Think of the joy of hearing again such songs as "Coo," "Great Scott," "When I Marry Amelia," "Mosenstein," and thirty-six other one-time hits at the Playhouse all sung as never before by the original artists, and carrying the audience all back to the many happy hours that these clever and versatile people have given during the past Winter.

It's a brilliant idea of Reg. Hincks, who deals in brilliant ideas, and it is to be hoped that despite his assurance that the curtain will go up with once again the future safety of his work, he says not, "There is going to be a big turn out to wish these people farewell."

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Strange offers have been made to motion picture actors as the result of certain roles they portrayed, but none of the offers have been made to Lee Shumway, who recently played the heroic part of Peter Cee in "Brawn of the North," the latest Laurence Trimble-Jane Murfin production starring Strongheart, for First National at the Royal Victoria Theatre next week.

In one instance, Shumway was compelled to keep a pack of timber wolves from attacking a mother and three month old child on the snow covered wastes of a desolate mountain country. His sole weapon was an axe. Numbers of the natives, who were many, were engaged in their living on the human remains, seized for the heads and hides of predatory wolves, gathered to watch the actor in action.

The camera records of these scenes are, in themselves, evidence of the actual dangers that confront Mr. Shumway. Motion picture adventure and rushing in with lightning speed, each wolf, apparently acting on his own initiative but in reality under the thorough direction of Mr. Trimble, tried to get at Mr. Shumway to injure him.

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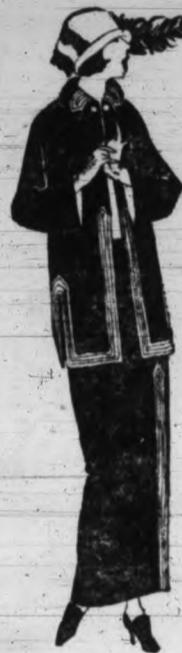
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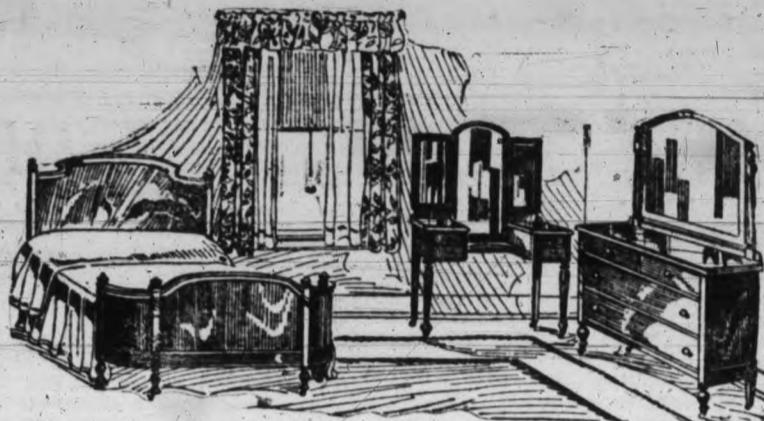
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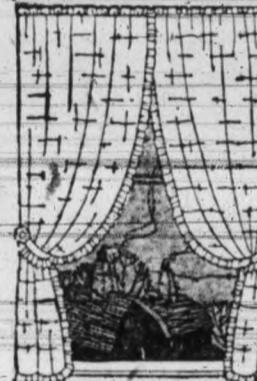
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Two Ball Leagues In Victoria This Year

Senior and Commercial Leagues Organize For Season; Darrell Spence New President of Senior Circuit, Which At Present Has Three Clubs, C. P. R., Eagles and Auto-motive Trades; Commercial Have Four Clubs Ready to Play

Amateur baseball was astir last night when the Senior and Commercial Leagues got down to business and began to talk over the prospects for the coming season. Nothing was decided upon in regard to schedules and opening dates but a general idea was obtained, as to what clubs would be in the ring.

The Victoria Amateur Baseball League will have three teams and it is possible that a fourth will be obtained. The Eagles and C. P. R., two of last year's clubs, retained their franchises, while the Knights of Columbus and Elks announced that they would withdraw. The application of the Auto-motive Trades was accepted and they will take over the franchise of the K. of C. The officials of the league will make an endeavor to secure a fourth club so as to provide two games a week, without making one team play twice.

Spence In Charge.

Darrell Spence, the new local sportsperson, will be the guiding genius of the league this year. Dave MacAulane, who has presided for two seasons, refused to stand for another term and Darrell agreed to take over the office.

The other offices elected last night were as follows: Honorary vice-president, Capt. J. W. Troup; honorary vice-presidents, George Burnes and J. W. Morris; vice-president, Harry Savage; secretary - treasurer, Jack Stevens; board of governors, Dave MacAulane, Walter Lorimer and George Strathman.

The grounds committee will consist of the president and a representative from each of the clubs. It was explained that all games will be played at the Stadium this year, as the league has first call on the grounds.

Things Look Bright.

The various delegates to the meeting stated that the prospects for amateur ball this year were exceedingly bright and the three managers admitted that they had some flashy teams to present to the public.

The new executive will hold a meeting-and-charge for the opening dates and draft the schedule.

A New League.

Ball players who enjoy their half holiday on Wednesday have decided to form a league, which will be known as the Commercial League. The four clubs which performed in the Wednesday League—Spencers, Hurst, Atwell and C. P. R.—intend to enter, while the C. P. R. may also put a team on the field.

The Commercial League held a meeting last night for the purpose of organizing, but the election of officers was left over with a late notice.

Art Plowes of Spencers, will act as secretary pro tem, and all clubs which intend to enter are requested to send their entries in to him.

The Commercial League will play all its games on Wednesday afternoon. Any players who would like to catch planes on teams in this league, should be in touch with Jack Neary or Art Plowes of Spencers; Arthur Cox, of Weiler's; George Beck or Percy Cliff, of the Hudson's Bay; or Percy Fitzsimmons, of Fitz's. A. Lupton and H. Campbell are representing the C. P. R.

Much Interest.

There is much enthusiasm over this league and it will no doubt receive a great deal of patronage from the mid-week holidaymakers.

CONGO CRICKETERS ORGANIZE TO-NIGHT

There will be a special meeting of the Congo Cricket Club in the rooms of the Congregational Church, corner of Mason and Quadra Streets, this evening at 8 o'clock. Important business will be brought forward and a full attendance of members and those interested will be welcome.

Ty Cobb's Heavy Artillery Makes Detroit Look A Promising Contender for American Pennant



On the Detroit roster are an even dozen players who hit .300 or better. Left to right: Emory Rigney, 307; Luerner Atwell Blue, 302; Derrill Pratt, 302; Ira Flinstead, 308; Roy Moore, 308; Bob Fothergill, 322; Johnny Bassett, 323; Bobby Veach, 327; Larry Woodall, 344; Fred Haney, 352; Harry Heilmann, 356; Ty Cobb, 401.

(By Billy Evans).

Augusta, Ga., April 4.—"More natural ability than has ever before been gathered in a Detroit training camp."

—There you have an estimate from Manager Ty Cobb relative to the Tyger recruits who are gathered here for his inspection.

Of course only a few of the many will make the grade this year, but every one of the youngsters has promise. A polish that can only come from experience is in with most of them.

One has only to watch the recruits go through their daily workouts to realize that Manager Cobb is decidedly correct in his estimate.

Three of the recruits stand out—Kerr, an infielder; Manush, an outfielder, and Flinstead, a pitcher. The latter is unusual in that for many years he has been a pitcher for manager to draw a prize in each department of play. As a rule, the choice

recruits run along the same lines, they are either outfielders, infielders, pitchers or catchers.

Kerr Looks Promising.

This chap Kerr has already upset Manager Cobb's plans a trifle. He is a right-handed batsman and hit .376 in the Western League last year.

Under the direction of Cobb he is rapidly developing a fielding polish, a department of play in which the Tyger leader saw he was a trifle at fault.

Of course there isn't a chance for Kerr to break into the Tyger field at present, but unquestionably he will prove his worth before the close of the season if illness or

injury forces any of the regulars out of the lineup.

Manush Hard Hitter.

Instead of ten pitchers it is almost certain that Cobb will get along with nine, in order to get under the player limit of twenty-five and thereby make room for Kerr.

Manush is a big rangy six-footer, who looks like an outfield find. He is a right-handed batsman and hit .376 in the Western League last year.

The addition of this most promising trio adds much strength to the Tyger team who were always in the running last year.

Kerr, Manush and Holloway look in the class of the recruits, youngsters certain to be retained.

Other promising recruits are Neun, a first sacker, who is unfortunate in having that position

Gilliland, a right-handed pitcher.

Flinstead, a husky right-hander, who is a product of the Detroit sandlots.

No doubt strings will be retained on a number of the rookies.

Encourage Juniors.

The question of the promotion of junior cricket came in for considerable discussion. Several of the senior clubs announced that they intended to play at least two juniors in every match so as to develop them and make sure of material for senior teams in the future.

A very strong committee will conduct the Junior League this year and the game, especially in Oak Bay, is expected to flourish as it has never done before.

The new track sensation is Fortunato Catalon, an eighteen-year-old high school youth, who was credited with running 100 yards in nine and four-fifths seconds on three consecutive days.

This should be a very exciting game, it being impossible to predict the winner. Bob Whyte will referee.

Saanichton to Appear.

Saanichton Will Appear In Hoop Turney To-night

To-night's programme at the "Y" gymnasium in the knock-out basketball tournament for the district championship should provide plenty of thrills. The feature game will be the encounter between the Y.M.C.A. seniors and the Normal School. Both teams will line up an array of well-known stars who are capable of playing a high class brand of basketball.

Both teams for the first time and are being watched with interest, as they are expected to show remarkable speed.

"Red" Hastings, who appears once a week with the Times-line-up, but often with the Orange, has decided to go in for the Normals this time. Sid Hopkins, former Metropolitan star, and "Bud" Bass, another speedy forward, are counted upon to boost the Normal score up above the thirty mark. Art Plows, D. Moses and Delmer Battick are in the best of condition and can travel at a good rate.

This should be a very exciting game, it being impossible to predict the winner. Bob Whyte will referee.

Saanichton to Appear.

Saanichton will be the first out-of-town team to be seen in action in the tournament series and is considered a first class aggregation. The country lads are counting on a win to-night over the "Y" business men's "B" team and are bringing in a strong contingent to keep the Normal stars out of the scoring column.

This should be a very exciting game, it being impossible to predict the winner. Bob Whyte will referee.

Y Going Well.

The "Y" senior team also has a formidable array of talent, foremost being John Brindley, the midget for-

Gardini Gained Fall Over Champion, But Too Many Headlocks Stopped Him

Chicago, April 4.—Ed. (Strangler) Lewis, heavyweight wrestling champion, won the third fall of his match with Renato Gardini, Italian heavyweight champion, here last night.

Gardini had the attack in the fifth for the Senators with a double to the centre wall bleachers. Hughes was safe on McCann's error, both scoring on a triple to centre by Kopp.

R. H. E.

Oakland 4 7 2

Los Angeles 1 6 6

Kremer and Thomas; Lyons, Walker and Baldwin.

Crippled Beavers Lose.

Sacramento, Calif., April 4.—A crowd estimated at over 13,000 fans filled the Moreland Field, grandstands and tiered bleachers, to witness the ball-bean's loss to Acting Toastermaster of Ceremonies H. McCarthy in the opening Beavers vs. Senators tussle, which was won by the locals, 3 to 1.

The Beavers made their tally in the third, when Casey came all the way around on Centrefielder Brown's bobble of a return, and again in the ninth, when he had the ball down his side, and drove it into the back of the Indians' right fielder, driving in errors. Everett Vanier, Seattle, started when he put a triple in the sixth, scoring two. About two thousand saw the game.

R. H. E.

Portland 1 3 1

Sacramento 3 6 1

Sutherland and Casey; Hughes and Koehler.

Sattle Wins Opener.

Fresno, Calif., April 4.—Seattle took the opening game from Salt Lake here yesterday 4 to 0. Gardner had the better of Myers in the pitching. The Bee heavier was inclined to be wild, walking seven. His support was erratic, two of the Indians' nine being due to errors. Everett Vanier, Seattle, started when he put a triple in the sixth, scoring two. About two thousand saw the game.

R. H. E.

Seattle 4 5 1

Salt Lake 0 3 2

Myers, Keller and Peters; Gardner and Yaray.

Vernon Beat Seals.

San Francisco, April 4.—The Vernon team took the opening game of the Pacific Coast League from the San Francisco Seals here yesterday 4 to 2. The Tigers took a two-run lead in the first inning and were never in danger thereafter.

Doyle pitched consistent ball, allowing ten scattered hits. However, he gave evidence of warming in the eighth and was replaced by Tait. Had not Tait pulled a "Miracle" in the seventh, with two out when he failed to touch first, the score would have been more oppressive for the Seals. Umpire Byrom called Bodie out, thus cutting off Gorman's run. Tait weighed in at 137½ pounds and Joines at 140½.

Pat Williams, of Seattle, and Frankie Britz, of Vernon, were the top batters.

KRACHE GETS VERDICT

Seattle, April 4.—Leading all the meeting quite unexpectedly, was warmly welcomed and the team members sent up appropriate telegrams to their friends.

Leonard Tait President

Leonard Tait, who dropped into the meeting quite unexpectedly, was warmly welcomed and the team members sent up appropriate telegrams to their friends.

STANFORD WINS MEET

Stanford University Cal., April 4.—The Stanford University team won the dual track and field meet from the University of Southern California here yesterday, 72 to 58.

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Orchestra in Attendance
—Fourth Floor

These Are Interesting Days In Every Department

Grocery Bulletin

Libby's Sliced Hawaiian Pineapple per tin	45c, 35c
and	23c
2 for	45c
Del Monte Brand Fancy Quality Bartlett Pears, per tin	35c
and	50c
Clark's Pork and Beans, per tin	25c
and	18c
2 for	35c

JAM SPECIAL

King-Beach's Pure Strawberry or Raspberry Jam, 4-lb. tins special at	96c
Club House Brand Lunch Queen Olives, per bottle	18c and 28c
La Perle Brand Finest Quality French Olive Oil, bot. 30c, 55c and	90c
Yacht Club Brand Salad Dressing per bot. 20c, 50c and \$1.00	
Glacier Brand Sardines, Norwegian Style, per tin	10c
Purity Brand Free Running Table Salt, in moisture proof containers Special 2 for	25c
Nu-Jell, the Perfect Jelly Powders assorted flavors, per pkt.	10c
Holsum Brand Macaroni, Vermicelli or Spaghetti, 16-oz. pkts.	15c
Fancy Bleached Sultana Raisins, per lb.	22c
2 for	40c
Finest Quality B. C. Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. paper sack	\$2.10

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CANDY COUNTER
Hudson's Bay Co. Rum and Butter Toffee, per lb. 40c
Hudson's Bay Co.'s After Dinner Mint, per lb. 40c
Ganong's Assorted Chocolates, Special per lb. 70c
—Lower Main Floor

Drug Specials for Thursday

Scott's Emulsion, 50c value	43c
Hutax Tooth Paste, 25c value	18c
Carter's Little Liver Pills, 25c value for	18c
Emulsified Cocoanut Oil, 50c value for	23c
Citrate of Magnesia, 50c value	27c
Odorone, 50c value for	73c
Forhan's Solution for the gums, 75c value	53c
Gibbs' Shaving Stick, large size 40c value for	27c
Ebony Cloth Brush, \$1.35 value for	95c
Tortoiseshell Combs, 25c value	23c
Gentlemen's Combs, 20c value	18c
Dust Combs, 20c value	10c
Velour Powder Puffs, 15c value	10c
Carbolic Soap, large cake, 15c value 3 for	28c
Main Floor	

Flannelette Blankets

Best Quality Flannelette Blankets, made from thick soft lofty yarns, in white or grey with pink or blue borders. Three-quarter bed size. Per pair	2.25
Double bed size. Per pair	2.95
Main Floor	

Chinaware Values

52-Piece Dinner Sets	
Fine quality English semi-porcelain manufactured by W. H. Grindles the world famous potters. Nice smooth finish, white and gold decoration; 52 pieces. Complete	\$17.95
Cream and Milk Jugs	
Choice of three pretty decorations five sizes: barrel shape with nice large tops. 15c to 55c	
Cups and Saucers	
Breakfast size cup and saucers in clover leaf design; not too heavy. Nice for kitchen or camp use. Wonderful value 4 for 75c	
—Lower Main Floor	

The Sterno Kitchenette

Specially adapted for every form of cooking and heating, both indoors and out and invaluable for preparing light meals. Consists of two hole plate, occupies a space of only 1 inch x 16 inches when not in use. Special each	\$1.05
—Lower Main Floor	



The Tailored Mode In New Spring Suits

The most pleasing interpretations of the tailored mode in suits are obtainable here. The coats are three-quarter length with narrow belts and notched collars, while the skirts are in the popular two-piece style. Fashioned from gabardines, tricotines and velour cloths of excellent quality, in black, seal, bisque and navy. In the same group are offered a number of smart snowflake tweed suits for sports wear; sizes 18 to 44. Priced at

\$55.00

Mannish Styles In Covert Cloth Coats

Here is the most useful kind of coat for all year round wear. Strictly man-tailored from showerproof covert cloth in serviceable shades of grey, brown and sand; raglan sleeves; full belts and collars, which may be worn open or closed. Half lined with strong quality silk serge; all sizes to 44. A good value at

\$45.00

—Second Floor

Spring Millinery

50 New Hats Just Arrived. Specially Priced at \$8.50

Smart Tagel Straws with crepe and silk facings in the most becoming effects are included in this new arrival. Hair cloths trimmed with flowers and burnt feathers and other popular fabrics are shown in a variety of new shapes and styles. Specially priced at

\$8.50

—Second Floor



BLACK SILKS AND SATINS

From the Famous Mills of France and Switzerland.

During the present week we are making a special display of black silks and satins, demonstrating the quality and unequalled values and suggest that you select your requirements now, while our Spring stocks are complete.

39-Inch "Imperial" Duchesse-Satin

This satin is specially made for Hudson's Bay Company and can only be obtained from Hudson's Bay Stores. It is of excellent quality and is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. Per yard

\$3.50

—Main Floor

36-Inch Black Duchesse-Satin

Another popular line that has become a general favorite because of its excellent wearing qualities. Has a rich lustrous finish and is wonderful value at per yard

\$2.50

—Main Floor

44-Inch Black Satin Raye

A beautiful satin similar in weave to Bengaline silk, but with a wool back. It is one of the most handsome satins we have seen this season. Per yard

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MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS

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Because they are fashioned from the most durable materials there's "longer life" in these shirts besides giving the greatest amount of comfort and satisfaction to the wearer. Fine quality Madras in a choice assortment of fancy interwoven, plain and cluster stripes; coat style and double cuffs; sizes 14 to 16½. Price

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VANCOUVER ISLAND NEWS

DANCE AT DUNCAN.

Special to The Times.
Duncan.—After the Lenten season, the Agricultural Hall again presented a festive appearance on Monday evening, on the occasion of the annual dance given by the Cowichan Cricket and Sports Club. About 250 people were present. Mrs. Martin's orchestra provided excellent music for the dancing. The hall looked very effective with flags of all descriptions round the walls, against a background of evergreens and a large Union Jack in the centre of the room.

The colors of the club, dark and light blue and yellow, were shown in long streamers across the hall and on the wall. The stage was done with bushes of pink, red and white roses, art rugs, and looked extremely well. The supper room had a touch of Spring with gay decorations, in hanging baskets, and vases on the tables, with yellow streamers and beautiful yellow tulips for lamp shades.

Mrs. Hope was in charge of the hall decorations, assisted by Mesdames Marlow, Hicks, Easton, Carr-Hilton, Miss Elsie Roome and Messrs. Hope, Easton, Saston, Graeme and Carr-Hilton.

Mrs. R. E. Birkley was responsible for the supper room decorations, assisted by Mrs. Duke, Mrs. Lipscombe, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Swan, Mrs. H. Sunderland, Miss Dawson-Thomas, Miss McDougall, Capt. Barkley and A. E. Willett.

Mrs. Willett most kindly undertook to handle the supper arrangements. She was assisted by Mesdames Duncan, Dobson, Kirkham, Carr-Hilton, Corblyshey and Primrose-Wells.

Among the out of town visitors were the Misses Ella Simpson, Vera Trenchard, Muriel Harmon and Richard Parker of Victoria, and Miss Goddard from Powell River.

DELIVERS LECTURE ON PHASES OF GARDENING

Special to The Times.

Sidney.—The usual monthly meeting of the North Saanich Women's Institute took place on Tuesday afternoon in Wesley Hall, with the Rev. Mr. Welch, in the chair.

It was decided to set \$5 as a prize for the best bunch of cut flowers.

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FIRE NOW UNDER CONTROL ON SS. CITY OF VICTORIA

Boston, Mass., April 4.—Dispatches intercepted by unofficial wireless stations last night said that the British steamer, City of Victoria, which reported a fire in her hold in mid-Atlantic, now had the fire under control and was proceeding to the Azores, for repairs.

TO BRING ORIENT FOUR DAYS NEARER

Faster C.P.S.S. Service by Elimination of Manila as Port of Call

According to a recent rearrangement of ports of call in the Orient, the Canadian Pacific Steamships Limited, by omitting Manila as port of call between Shanghai and Hong Kong will bring the latter port four days nearer to Canada, the United States and Europe. This makes possible a through service from London, Eng., via Canadian Pacific Atlantic Empresses to Quebec and rail to Vancouver and via Canadian Pacific Empresses to Hongkong under twenty-eight days.

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At Gorge Camp.

The Council unanimously granted \$300 to the Auto, Campsite Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, for improvement of the Gorge, motor tourists' camp.

Buy More Meters.

Being assured that metering of the Saanich waterworks system had increased from 100 to 150 per cent, to one-half that experienced by last year's extensive installation, the Council ordered Clerk Sewell to purchase a further 200 half-inch instruments, at a cost approximating \$4,200. Many of these are already needed, while the remainder will all be absorbed by this year's extensions of service lines, it is expected.

Conciliation Board Refused.

The Saanich Employees' Association asked the Council to agree to appoint a Conciliation Board, under the Domestic Trades Disputes Act, to investigate the Saanich scale. The employees also asked the Council to support amendment to the Municipal Elections Act, whereby British subjects paying poll tax would automatically be placed on the voter list, without formality of affidavit. Both requests were refused, with Councillors Macnicol and Robertsshaw voting against summary filing of the letter.

At the request of Mrs. Kate Palmer, the Council granted permission for a tag day in Saanich on April 14, the proceeds to benefit Mrs. Lorenz.

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**EARLY TIME WILL
START ON MAY 6**

Will End September 9; Dates Chosen as Compromise

Daylight saving will start here May 6 and will end September 9, as a result of a decision reached by the City Council last night.

These dates were fixed as a compromise after the Council had voted on half a dozen others. Almost every alderman in fact, had a different date to mind, and each fought vigorously for his idea.

And then, after the daylight-saving dates had been fixed Alderman Dewar and Sangster, strong opponents of advanced time, moved that the whole plan be scrapped. This was greeted with a shout of "No!" And the motion strenuously rejected.

It was pretty obvious that the dates finally selected satisfied only a minority of the Council but they were the only ones which a majority would approve after other dates had been proposed and turned down on the floor.

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**SAANICH ACTS
TO END CONGESTION
AT GORGE BRIDGE**

Parking of Automobiles Drastically Limited; Tourist Camp Gets Grant

To govern parking of automobiles in the Gorge District, especially adjacent to the Gorge Bridge, the Saanich Council has passed a by-law preliminary readings an amendment to the Streets Regulations By-Law, whereby parking of cars on Tillicum Road between Gorge Road and the Gorge Bridge will be prohibited, and result in court charges being laid against those motorists offending. The Gorge Road will also be prohibited to motor vehicles if it runs along the waters of the Gorge, cars being ruled off the water or south side, but permitted to park on the north side and facing westerly.

The west side of all the tributary streets to Gorge Road will also be prohibited as parking territory, while all cars using the eastern roadsides must park parallel with the street and face to the north. The by-law was amended at the request of the Police Commissioners in order to cope with holiday traffic emergencies.

To Join Celebration.

The Council accepted an invitation from the West Saanich Women's Institute to take part in the opening ceremonies of the new Institute Building at Sluggett. The invitation stated that Hon. John Oliver and some members of the Provincial Cabinet would attend, and a dance was also promised.

Four Fires.

The March fire record in Saanich included four fires for fire damage equipment, the most serious being a fifteen minute trip from the Carey Road station to Keating at the end of the month, when damage was confined to the upper story of a farm residence.

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A few days ago a case came up in the Police Court in which was defendant Mr. Shanks, told the court, "During the proceedings a boy twelve or fourteen years of age swore that I had cut his hair. I took my oath that I had not cut the boy's hair. The conclusion reached by the magistrate was in my favor; but I do not wish to emphasize that point."

The fact that the boy took his oath that he had done the work and I, as a master, positively affirmed the opposite is surely a serious enough matter for the earnest consideration of the authorities, especially too, when a juvenile is concerned.

"As this boy is a public school pupil the School Board ought to demand a thorough investigation," said Mr. Shanks.

That the only way to curb juvenile delinquency here was to handle first offenders "without gloves," so that they would be good in future.

BOARD OF TRADE DID USEFUL WORK

Annual Meeting of Esquimalt Body Reports Progress for Year

That in addition many concrete examples of service, the Esquimalt Board of Trade had another year of progress to its credit was the sentiment expressed at the annual general meeting of that body held in the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt, last evening. President R. H. Pooley, M.P.P., brewer said.

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**ARE INTRODUCED
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Rev. Dr. Clem Davies Has Formal Meeting With Congregation

At a meeting of the congregation of Centennial Methodist Church, held last night in the Sunday School, the new pastor Rev. Dr. Clem Davies and Mrs. Davies, were formally introduced. The gathering was a very large one, and the new pastor was welcomed.

Speeches of greeting to the new pastor were made by Mr. Deaville, on behalf of the quarterly board; Geo. Holt for the Sunday School; Roy Hebborn for the young men of the church; Miss Maud Hammond for the young ladies, and S. L. Tapman for the choir. Mrs. Davies was presented with a beautiful bouquet by Miss Deaville on behalf of the congregation.

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Enough Near Victoria to Supply Steel Industry for Years, Engineer Says

One Bog Iron Body Only 20 Miles From Victoria at Sooke P.O.

pyrrhotite ore has no commercial value, but there is a possibility that in future it may have some value as a flux, because of the fuel value of the sulphur in pyrrhotite smelting.

"The limonite or bog iron ore deposits occur on the west arm of the Sooke Peninsula, on St. James, Denman and St. Stones Creeks, near the Sooke Post Office, about 20 miles from Victoria. The deposits at Quatsino Sound were worked some years ago, the product being shipped to Port Townsend, in the State of Washington, but work was suspended about 15 years back and has not been resumed.

These magnetite iron ore deposits occur on the Sooke Peninsula, and near the Gordon River which empties into San Juan Bay, on Alberni Canal, and Henderson Lake, on Copper Island, and Sarita River, Barkley Sound, on the Sechart Peninsula, Barkley Sound, on Flores Island, near the head of Kennedy Lake, near the head of Bute Inlet, near the head of Bute Inlet, Bute Inlet, and Nooqua Sound, on the easterly side of the southeast arm of Quatsino Sound, near the head of the Upper Quinsam Lake, about 20 miles from Campbell River, on the east coast of Vancouver Island, and on the Iron River which empties into the lower Quinsam Lake," Mr. Brewer said.

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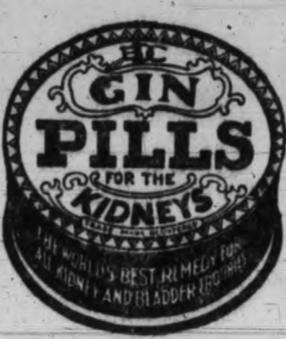
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One Cinderella Badly Wanted



Traffic Officer S. L. Banks, of Washington, D. C., would like very much to play the part of Prince Charming with a certain Cinderella. When he stopped a speeding limousine, Cinderella's leg came through a window and aimed a kick at the officer's head. He got the slipper and now he'd like to get the fair owner.

Wreckage in Wake of Tornado That Killed 18



This is what was left of the general store at Savage, Miss., on the day following the tornado which swept through seven Mississippi counties, killed 18, injured 100 and inflicted property damage estimated at \$400,000. The town of Savage was literally wiped off the map.

See What the Blizzard Did in North Dakota



The recent blizzard sweeping the Middle West and East took the lives of two trainmen when this double-header hit a snowbank 15 feet deep near Barlow, N. D. The train battled for hours against huge drifts, but this one crushed the rotary snowplough and derailed the first locomotive.

She's Bright



Prince Nicholas, of Rumania (left), is joining the British navy as a midshipman. With him, in the above photograph, taken in London, is Nicholas Mishu, Rumanian Ambassador.

By DWIG



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Birdie Reeve
shown here, is only 15, but she has a vocabulary of 64,000 words. Pity the husband she gets!



The Duke of Abercorn made his state entry as Governor of Northern Ireland into Belfast amidst cheering crowds. Photo shows, left, the Governor taking the salute at the Ulster Hall. On his left are the Home Secretary Sir Dawson Bates and Viscount Pirrie.

Lord Robert Cecil



Arthur O'Brien
President of the Gaelic League, was among the alleged Irish agitators arrested in Scotland Yard's recent round-up.

Eminent British Jurist and Statesman who is making a tour of America.

Missing Priest



The Rev. John A. Vraniak twenty-eight, pastor of the Sacred Heart Church at Virden, Ill., suddenly disappeared and searching parties have failed to locate him. His automobile has been found abandoned in St. Louis. Foul play is suspected.

Making John D. Smile



John D. Rockefeller actually smiled a broad grin when Nita Harper, Savannah (Ga.) girl, serenaded him at Orlando, Fla., as you see in the picture. Wonder what she played on her "uke"?

Wifely Affection a la Korea

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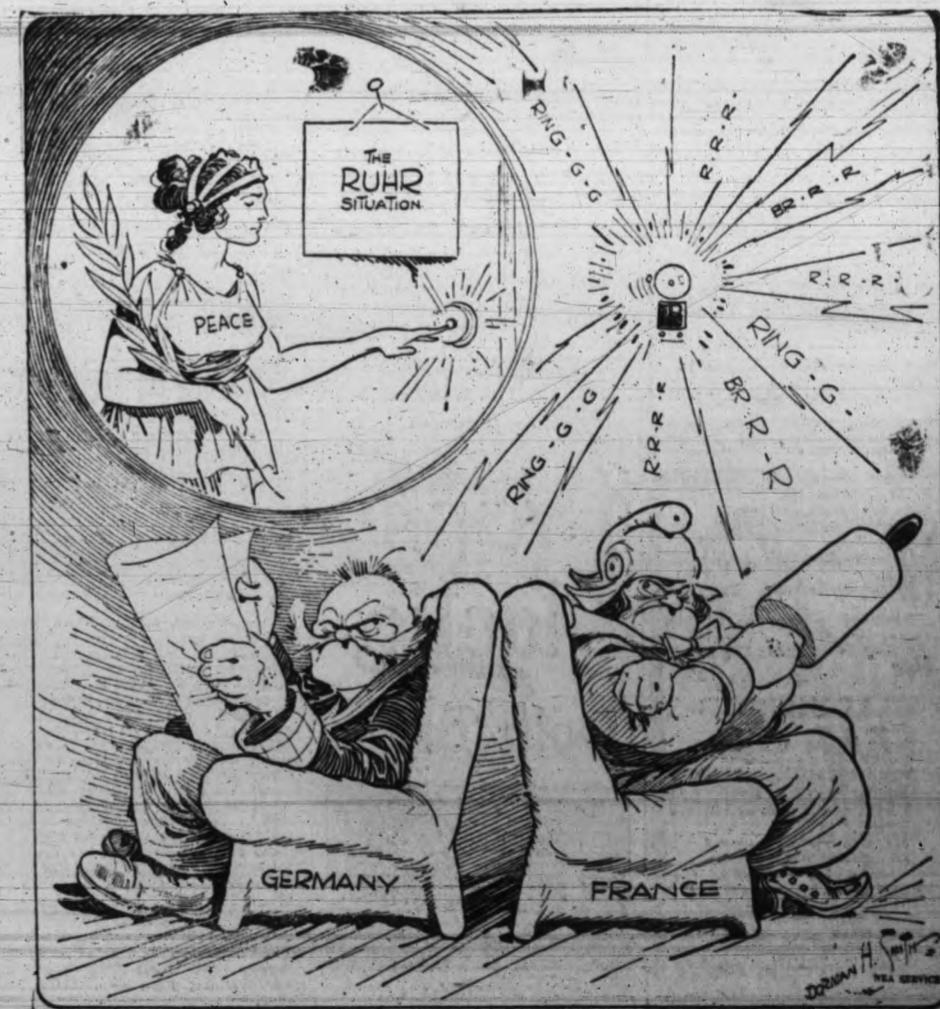


Ellen Sonnenthal once Viennese society girl and member of famous Austrian musical family, leaped to her death from the ninth floor of the Hotel Astor, New York. Failure to succeed in her musical career caused her suicide.



When Mrs. Yoon from Korea greeted her husband, Y. Yoon, brother of the former Empress of Korea, for the first time in several years, she didn't give him a rousing smack. Instead she gave the bow you see in this picture, snapped on her arrival at San Francisco on the T. K. K. liner *Taiyo Maru*. Yoon's been studying at Princeton.

BOTH—"YOU LET HER IN, I WON'T"



LATEST NEWS OF THE MARKETS

Retail Market

EARLY BUYING FROM SHORT INTERESTS

Vegetables	
Beets, 8 lbs.	25
Turnips, 8 lbs.	25
Carrots, 10 lbs.	20
Onions, 10 lbs.	20
Cauliflower, 15 lbs.	25 to 30
Brussels Sprouts, 15 lbs.	25 to 30
Spinach, 15 lbs.	25 to 30
Radishes, bunch	25
Lettuce, bunch	25
Heirloom Lettuce, each	25
California Lettuce, each	25
Calli Cabbage, per lb.	25
Mint, 1 oz.	25
Potatoes—	25
Aschroft, 10 lbs.	25
Kamloops, sack	25
Local	25
Okanagan, sack	25
Sweet Potatoes, per lb.	25
Celery, per stick	25
Shrub, bunch	25
Leeks per lb.	25
Fruits	
Green Peas, lb.	25
Wainwright, bunch	25, 25, 25
New Navel, doz.	25
25, 25, 25, 40, 50 and	25
Market Grapes, doz.	25
Table Raisins, Spanish	45 and
Crabapples, per lb.	25
Marmalade, 25 lbs.	25
Apples, 5 lbs. and 4 lbs. for	25, 25
Dates, per lb.	25
Bananas, doz.	25
Lemons, Cal., doz.	25
Prunes, 2 lbs. and 25 lbs.	25, 25
and 10 lbs.	25
Turkey Dates, pmt.	25
Fruit, Sweet, 15, 20 and	25
California Grapes, 5 for 25c, 2 for	25
Mexican Tomatoes, per lb.	25
Apples—	25
Wineapples	25
Newton Pippin	25
Delicious	25
Spitzenberg, No. 1	25
Nut	25
Almonds, per lb.	25
Walnuts, per lb.	25
Cal. Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.	25
Pecans, per lb.	25 and
Filberts, 10 lbs.	25
Roasted Peanuts, per lb.	25
Cocoanuts, 10 and	25
Chesnuts, lb.	25
Dairy Products and Eggs.	
New Zealand Butter, lb.	25
No. 1 Alberta, No. 1b.	25
Canadian	25
V. I. M. P. A.	25
Cowichan Creamery, per lb.	25
Salt Spring, lb.	25
Eggs, 1 lb. and 1/2 lb.	25
Oleomargarine, per lb.	25
Pure Lard, per lb.	25
General, doz.	25
Cheese	
B. C. Cream Cheese, per lb.	25
B. C. Solids	25
Milk, 1/2 lb.	25
Finest Ontario, twin, lb.	25
Edam Dutch Cheese	25
Gouda Cheese, lb.	25
Gouda, 1 lb.	25
Imported Parmesan	25
English Stilton, Jar	25
Imports, Roquefort	25
Swiss Gruyere, box	25
Eagle Brand Cheddar, box	25
Circle Brand Breakfast Chees	25
Baking Salmon, red, 1/2 lb. for	
Spring Salmon, white	25
Smelts, lb.	25
Bloater, 2 lbs.	25
Oysters, 1 lb.	25
Cod, Fillets per lb.	25
Oysters in shell, dozen	25
Olympia Oysters, pint	25
Meats	25
Pork—	
Trimmed Loins	25
Legs	25 to 30
Shoulder Roast	30 to 35
Pork, 1 lb. per lb.	25
1 lb. Steer Roast	
Suet	25
Sirloin Steak	25
Sirloin Steaks	25
Pot Roasts	25
Oven Roasts	15 to 25
Ribs, Roasts	25
Rib Roast	25
Round Steak	25
Porterhouse	25
Local Lamb	25
Shoulders	25
Loin	25
Fresh Herring, 1 lb.	25
Oolichana, 2 lbs. for	25
Smoked Black Cod	25
Shell Fish	
Crabs	15, 20 to 25
Shrimps	25
Oysters in shell, dozen	25
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TEACHING OF HISTORY SHOULD BE SCIENTIFIC

(Continued from page 4.)

FOR THE CHILDREN

The Sandman Story For To-night

THE ELVES OF THE GARDEN.

Elmo was a poor peasant boy who found it hard to make a living for himself and his grandmother who was old and lame. But Elmo had been left an orphan as a very little boy, and his grandmother had worked hard to take care of him, and now in her old age he must find a way to support her.

The day before his garden had rewarded his hard work by giving him many vegetables, so this year Elmo determined to have a bigger garden and grow more.

One morning very long before the sun was up, Elmo took his spade and began to dig up the tangled growth at one corner of his garden so that he could plant it with vegetable seed.

It was scarcely light enough for him to see, but as there was nothing he could harm by digging or so he went on. He thrust his spade here and there, throwing the brush and thistles and other useless things to one side.

To his surprise he suddenly became aware that his spade was being used from going into the ground, and he heard small voices saying, "He shall not our garden; this place belongs to us."

Elmo dropped his spade and leaned close to the ground, and then rubbed his eyes, for he thought he must still be in bed and dreaming.

There among the tangled briars and brambles he saw dozens of little men dressed in brown and green, with small red faces and sharp brown eyes. "What's that you are saying?" stammered Elmo. "Are you alive?"

"Of course, we are alive," said one of the little men, puffing out his cheeks and looking up at Elmo as he place.

Domestic Science.

In stating that the school curriculum was a matter for local consideration, the speaker digressed for a moment to comment on the vexed question of Domestic Science in the schools. "If all the mothers would and could teach their daughters, all that the mothers think the Domestic Science teachers ought to know there would be no need for Domestic Science in the schools."

Reverting to the question of the teaching of scientific history in the schools, Mr. Cornett averred that the end of history should be to learn history. In the Napoleonic era the teaching of history had been commingled with a view to imbuing participation with the budding citizens. Therefore, he claimed, the dominant purpose behind the teaching of history, and to-day it still remained the dominant purpose, in some countries. But such a purpose was a perversion of the subject, maintained the speaker, who claimed that scientific history should aim at making the present intelligible through a proper, truthful knowledge of the past, thus making men civically fit.

Mrs. H. E. Young ably expressed the thanks of the gathering to the speaker, and Mrs. Spofford, who presided in the absence of Mrs. Hyndman, extended the general appreciation to Master Donald Adams, whose brilliant piano playing reflected much credit upon the young musician and his teacher, Mrs. White.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

ESQUIMAU ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Notice of Closing of Portion of Albert Head Road.

As required by Paragraph 2 of the Highway Act, Section 23, Chapter 23, C. B. C. Statutes, 1911, the undersigned hereby gives notice that thirty days from the date it is his intention to close and remove the portion of the road described in the following:

The portion of road commencing at the North Boundary of Section 16, Block Section 25, Esquimau Land District, and bearing southwesterly for a distance of about 100 feet and forty feet more or less to the southerly approach of the Twin Bridges.

It is the intention to straighten and improve the existing road by means of a diversion at this point.

W. H. SUTHERLAND,
Minister of Public Works

Department of Public Works,
Parliament Buildings,
Victoria, B.C., March 13, 1923.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Notice re Opening Malahat Drive.

The Malahat Drive is now open for light vehicular traffic, but will remain closed to all truck traffic until further notice.

By order,

P. PHILIP,
Public Works Engineer,
Department of Public Works,
Parliament Buildings,
Victoria, B.C., March 29, 1923.

PUSSY'S SAFETY

Elmo not know it was your kind.

held his cap with one small hand so it would not tumble off his head, for you see he had to look very high to see Elmo.

"We are alive and we want you to let our garden remain as you found it," said the little man. "You don't understand at all what you are doing, digging up our lands."

"But I did not know it was your land," said Elmo, very much amused at the little creature's important tone. "This is part of my garden. I want to plant this place with seed."

"Don't you know who we are?" said the little man. "Dontors cannot get along without us, and yet you seldom give thought to us magic folk."

"Who are you?" Please tell me," said Elmo, sitting down on the ground so that he might better talk with the little man.

"Why, we are the Garden Elves," was the reply. "Did you never hear that all the wise folk leave one corner of their gardens as Nature planned for the Magi people?" Do you suppose your garden would be safe without having if we did not watch over it? We must have a place in which to hide from Mortals," said Elmo.

"I'm not," said Bobby, protestingly, "but I've got to get her away from the fire. She's beginning to boil."

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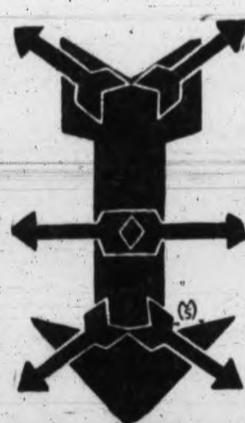
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